Attorney Docket No. <u>1032326-000273</u>

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Jean-Jacques Vandewalle et al.  |  | )         | Group Art Unit: 2442     |          |  |
| Application No.: 10/665,905   |  | )         | Examiner: JASON D. RECEK |          |  |
| Filing Date: September 15, 2003   |  | )         | Confirmation No.: 7036   |          |  |
| Title:  | METHOD AND MEANS FOR<br>MANAGING COMMUNICATIONS<br>BETWEEN LOCAL AND REMOTE<br>OBJECTS IN AN OBJECT ORIENT<br>CLIENT SERVER SYSTEM IN WHI<br>A CLIENT APPLICATION INVOKES<br>LOCAL OBJECT AS A PROXY FOR<br>REMOTE | CH<br>S A |                          |          |  |
| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  |  |           |                          |          |  |
| Commissioner for Patents<br>P.O. Box 1450<br>Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  |  |           |                          |          |  |
| Sir:  |  |           |                          |          |  |
| The following extension of time is requested to: extend the period for response to the final Office Action dated November 25, 2010 for a  |  |           |                          |          |  |
|   | second month to April 26, 2010   |           | □ \$ 180                 | ⊠ \$ 360 |  |
| A $\boxtimes$ one $\square$ two $\square$ three $\square$ four month Petition for Extension of Time was previously filed with the appropriate fee on <u>March 25, 2010</u> .                              |  |           |                          |          |  |
|   | Charge to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.   |           |                          |          |  |
|   | ☐ Charge \$ 360 to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.   |           |                          |          |  |
| The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. |  |           |                          |          |  |
|   | Respectfully submitted,  |           |                          |          |  |
| Date:   | April 26, 2010  By: Weiwei Y. Stiltner   |           |                          |          |  |
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